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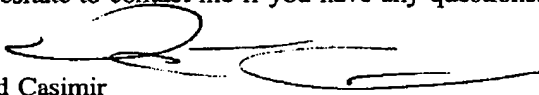
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Per our phone conversation of July 22, 2004 please find attached the four Statements of Inventorship that were filed on May 13, 2004 for Appln. Ser. No. 09/713,601. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

  
David Casimir  
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**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. **FORS-04905**

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In re Application of: Poonam Agarwal *et al.*

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As the below named inventor, Mary Ann Brow, I hereby declare that the inventive entity in nonprovisional U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/713,601, filed 11/15/2000, as set forth by the C.F.R. §1.63 Declaration of April 20, 2001 is in error. The inventorship error of failing to include Mary Ann Brow as an inventor of the patent application occurred without any deceptive intention on the part of Mary Ann Brow.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishment by fine or imprisonment or both, under § 1000 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issued thereon.

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James R. Prudent